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THREE OF THE GREATEST AND MOST ENTHUSIASTIC MEETINGS

Were Those Held Under the Auspices of the Farmers' Educational Co-operative Union Of America---Three Great Days.

MUSIC WAS FURNISHED BY THE UNION STRING BAND

Never Before In Crittenden County Was There A Greater Demonstration of the "People Rule"--Law and Order Throughout

WELCOME ADDRESS AT CALDWELL SPRINGS
DELIVERED BY W. J. MCCHESNEY.

Meetings at Applegate and Hurricane Were as Interesting as the One at Caldwell Springs--Many Good Speakers Were Present.

FARMERS BETTER ORGANIZED THAN EVER BEFORE.

Never before in Crittenden county was there a greater demonstration of the "People Rule" than at Caldwell Springs. It was Law and Order throughout.

The people began gathering in early in the morning and by ten o'clock there were a multitude of people gathered around the speakers stand.

After the devotional exercises conducted by State President Robt L. Johnson, the people were welcomed to Caldwell Springs by W. J. McChesney. Mr. McChesney is a fluent speaker and by his well chosen remarks made every one feel at home.

State President Johnson responded and spoke until twelve o'clock and assured the audience that he would finish his remarks in the afternoon, which promise was filled to the full.

Bro. Johnson dealt many hard blows to the "trusts" and showed his hearers, beyond any shadow of doubt, that the fight was between the trusts and the people, and that by persuasive argument we would win the fight, if we would only stand together and vote together. He left no middle ground, he said: "he that is not for us is against us."

He showed to the people that we needed no new party; but if we would get together and let our demands be known, that the old parties were sufficient. His remarks seemed to be well taken and the great crowd showed by their attention that they were interested.

There were some few business men from Caldwell and Livingston counties as well as a few from our county who were from 1,500 to 2,000 people

present, there was dinner enough on the ground to have fed three times the number of people. Stop with just saying dinner? No! that dinner was composed of the best things that God and the people could bring from "Mother Earth," prepared by the hands of the loyal sisters of the order. We are very thankful to the ladies both in and out of the union for this bountiful feast.

The committee on arrangements performed their duties in a most pleasing way.

And last, but not least, we should give God the glory for all the good that was accomplished, for, "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof."—C. O. P.

APPLIGATE PICNIC A GRAND SUCCESS.

The Applegate picnic was a duplicate of the great day at Caldwell Springs. Not quite so many people but no less enthusiastic.

Brother Bennett, of Webster county, made the welcome in which he extended a hearty welcome to all.

After the welcome address Bro. Johnson took the stand, and his speech if possible, was more forcibly delivered than at Caldwell Springs. It seemed that not a word, nor a syllable was left out that would detract from its force. It seemed that all our grievances were explained in a simple concise manner. The writer only wishes to live to see the fruits of that day's labor. Brother Johnson is filling the place of State President to its fullest.

After Brother Johnson had finished his address, an enjoyable hour was spent not in mincing, but by putting that bountiful dinner which was prepared by the good ladies of the Applegate section, into proper use. It was a bountiful dinner indeed, and seemed to be enjoyed by every one.

The afternoon session was made up of short and pointed addresses.

C. O. Pogue, Editor of the F. E. and C. U. of A. Page of the CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS, made a few remarks in behalf of that paper, after which Bro. Johnson made a short talk on the banking question.

W. I. Paris, of Livingston county, made a very plain and pointed speech as well as Bro. G. L. Gray, of Kuttawa.

W. H. Brown, Vice-President of Crittenden county, made a short speech in which set forth some very touching argument in favor of the mothers and daughters who have to labor in the tobacco field.

The banking question was discussed and the Presidents and Secretaries of the locals promised their support in raising subscription for stock sufficient to operate on. It looks as though the banks will be a go, as the farmers have got a taste of the pooling business and want to pool their money.

The Lola brass band furnished music for the occasion, which was appreciated by all.

Peace and pleasure was paramount with all.

We have the best for the last. In conjunction with the fact that there

throughout.

And I will say for all, that the music rendered by the Marion Silver Cornet Band was appreciated by all, and that we extend our thanks to the business men of Marion for sending the band.

The music by the Union String Band was second to none ever heard by the writer, and was appreciated by all.—C. O. P.

THE PICNIC AT HURRICANE.

Not since the days of Thomas Jefferson and Henry Clay has there been a more enthusiastic gathering than there was at the Hurricane Camp Ground, Saturday Sept. twelfth.

Farmers with their families in wagons, and carriages of all kinds. Horsemen, and on foot, but all carrying well filled baskets, boxes and trunks, began to arrive early in the morning, and continued to arrive until eight hundred or one thousand tillers of the soil had gathered together in one mighty throng. At ten o'clock the Heath Local String Band began to play "My Old Kentucky Home." The farmers then followed the band into the great tabernacle.

The exercises were opened in the usual manner in which the locals open all their meeting, by song and prayer.

President Johnson began his address at ten-thirty and spoke for one hour and one-half hour. The audience seemed greatly surprised when he informed it was time to spread the feast, so interested were they, that the time flew fast.

He led them from the Garden of Eden on by Abrahams well, the first immovable property of man, saw the farmers in the fertile fields of Goshen come with them out of Egyptian bondage, on to where they left their fathers tombs in Europe and came to America where they could worship a true and living God and own their own homes.

He showed how greed and oppression had down trodden the farmer, until Moses had rose up. A second Moses, a man down where the cotton blossoms grow, Newt Graham by name, a man who started the greatest organization that has ever been started by mortal man, "The Farmers Union." He assured us much of our present enjoyment depends on our future prospects.

Present possessions held in uncertainty, or with the expectation of losing them in a short time, affords but little satisfaction. Hence though a man may have wealth, a comfortable home, popular talent and honorable employment, yet if these be held in unrighteousness, without a reasonable expectation of future bliss, they suffice him not. One thought of eternity destroys all his comfort.

After the lecture the amen, and after the amen dinner began. At one-thirty the Levias and Sheridan String band rendered some fine music.

Talks were made by D. N. Riley Ed Flanary, John Blue and R. Robinson. Mr. Blue explained the banking laws and assured us it was not his purpose to discourage the farmers from starting a bank.

Rev. Thompson the Presiding Elder, then gave a very pointed talk. He closed his remarks by advising every father to try to educate his children and not to keep the sons out of college, and give the girls all the

learning. He said in Henderson there were four girls to one boy who graduated.

President Johnson closed the exercises with a short talk. After a general hand shake and music we parted, feeling it was good to be here. R. R.

OLIE JAMES' AMBITION.

WANTS TO HOLD SEAT OF HONOR IN NEXT CONGRESS.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 17.—(Special)—The one political ambition of Congressman Olie James, of Kentucky, is to be Speaker of the House. This explains why he declined the vice presidential nomination at Denver and why he did not permit the use of his name in the Kentucky senatorial fight when Joe Blackburn's fortunes were wrecked on the rocks of political fate. Being a loyal friend of Senator Blackburn gave him good excuse for turning a deaf ear to the tempter, and the same kind of loyalty to Gov. Beckham served to keep him from entering that contest when, his friends say, he could have had the nomination merely by giving the nod.

In the event of Mr. Bryan's election Olie James' future is secure. He has the confidence of the Democratic nominee to a degree not enjoyed by many others. Mr. Bryan's estimate of his ability is an old story to Kentuckians. Mr. Bryan, if victorious, would prefer conferring upon Congressman James honors of the most exalted character, and would, in all probability, prefer that he abandon his yearning for the throne made particularly famous by Thomas Brackett Reed and later by Joseph Cannon, whose opponent in the present campaign is attacking a practice attributed to "Uncle Joe" which places him unqualifiedly at the head of artistic users of profanity. It is the only weak spot in the armor of Speaker Cannon, who is said not to give a cuss what his enemies say or how they say it.

Of course, Champ Clark would like to be Speaker, and so would De Armond, and if both enter the contest James, it is figured, would be the victor.

Demands from all State chairmen are coming to Democratic national headquarters requesting that James be assigned to speak in their respective States. He is one of the oratorical guns of this campaign.

Pogue--Grimes.

Sunday morning at Princeton, Ky., Miss Cora Pogue, daughter of W. W. Pogue, of Frances, a sister of M. F. and C. O. Pogue, was married to Jess Grimes of the Dyersburg vicinity. Miss Pogue who is the youngest daughter of W. W. Pogue, had been on a visit to Sturgis and Mr. Grimes visited her there and they planned the trip to Princeton just for the novelty. There were no objections as both are fine young people and each one has many friends and admirers. They returned to Frances Sunday afternoon and were entertained at the home of S. R. Grimes, the groom's father.

They have the best wishes of the "Record-Press" and of all who know them.

Notice.

To the tax payers of Crittenden county. I would respectfully notify all who have not paid their taxes for the year 1908, that owing to the fact the November term of Court is fast approaching and bids fair to be a busy court for the sheriff; and consequently I will not have the time to wait upon you properly during the time that court is in session. And as

the time for the penalty to be added is also fast approaching, therefore in order to save yourselves the penalty and myself inconvenience, I would earnestly solicit one and all to call at my office and settle your taxes, before my services are required by the court. I am forced to meet my settlements with the auditor promptly.

Thanking you for your past

kindness, I remain your faithful servant.

2t J. F. FLANARY, S. C. C.

Big Tobacco Meeting.

There will be a big rally of tobacco growers, Saturday, Sept. 19th, 1908, at Princeton, Ky.

The following speakers will be present: Hons. F. G. Ewing, Olie M. James, John S. Rhea, Campbell Cantrell and others.

A first-class band has been engaged for the occasion. Mr. Ward Headley will preside at the meeting. Members of all tobacco organizations generally are invited.

A cordial welcome extended, by order of John W. Hollowell, Ch'm.

Medical Association Meeting.

The fifty-third Annual Meeting of the Kentucky State Medical Association will be held at Winchester, Sept. 23rd to the 25th inclusive. This promises to be one of the most valuable and instructive medical meetings that has ever been held in Kentucky, Gallatin, Webster and Spencer are the only counties in the state which have no medical society.

The round trip rates from points in Kentucky to Winchester for the meeting, will be one fare plus twenty-five cents.

Tobacco Damaged by hail.

Uniontown, Ky., Sept. 11.—A hail storm severely damaged the tobacco crop in this country. The greatest injury was done in the Seven Gums neighborhood and in the vicinity of Chapman's station. During the storm lightning killed two mules and a horse belonging to Berro Benzon, of Grove Center.

Up in Smoke.

The tobacco barn on the O'Hara farm, near Crider, was destroyed by fire Wednesday. One thousand and nine hundred sticks of tobacco and one hundred bales of hay belonging to Fred Boleson was also destroyed. It is a very heavy loss to Mr. Coleman as it was very near all his earnings for the year 1908. The tobacco was being fired when the accident causing the disaster occurred—Princeton Leader.

Judge Nunn Improving.

Judge T. J. Nunn, of the appellate court, and a distinguished member of the Hopkinsville Elks lodge, who was operated on a few weeks ago, is still confined to his room at the Norton Infirmary, in Louisville. He is reported as doing well and his friends will be glad to hear that he will soon be able to resume his duties at Frankfort.—New Era.

Farmers' Union Daughter Will Be Crowned Goddess Of Labor At Paducah.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 16.—The contest for goddess of labor resulted in a victory for Miss E. Rickman, of the county, candidate of the Farmer's Union. She received 5,110 votes. Miss Louise Detzel, of this city, candidate of the Planters' and Decorators' Union, received 3,560 votes, and Miss Marie Trotter, candidate of the Leatherworkers' Union received 630 votes. Miss Rickman will be crowned at a special meeting of the Central Labor Union, in this city.

Farmers' Union Is Incorporated.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 16.—Central Warehouse Company of the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative Union of America, Livingston county, capital \$5,000. Incorporated, W. J. Fugate, Trustee 733 shares; B. M. Varnell, 20 shares; E. P. Doon, 20 shares; W. J. Fugate, 20 shares; A. J. Rhodes, of Green River, 20 shares, and E. Doon, of Iuka, 20 shares.

New Bank to be Opened Next Week.

Horse Cave, Ky., Sept. 10.—The Union Planters' bank of Horse Cave will open for business September 15th.

EQUITY EDITORIAL COLUMN.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF EQUITY
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MARION F. POGUE, EDITOR.

To farmers and their friends: While the object of these columns primarily to advance the cause of the Society of Equity, by promulgating its principles and recording its wonderful work in state and nation, in condensed form, we shall be glad to receive contributions from our friends everywhere relative to the farmer and his interests, no matter to what organization you may belong. All such communications should be addressed to me, Frederia, Ky., R. F. D. No. 2. Such communications must be signed in full by the writer, besides the name do plume, if any.

THE EDITOR.

REARKEN ! YE SONS OF EQUITY.

Brethren:—The spirit of Equity is ripe, the world is yearning for Equity, the Great God of Heavens and Earth has promised us Equity. It is through our great order that equity will prevail. We invite the toilers of earth to enlist with us; we ask the co-operation of the friends of the toiler to lend us a helping hand. We have black-listed none but the trust cormorant who gambles in our products or fixes a price below the cost of production. Our nation is drifting on the rocks of ruin and toward the whirlpool of despair, and it can be saved only by the heroic work of all patriotic Americans. The Society of Equity will enroll all such under its banner. Co-operation of the farmer, the merchant and the banker will win, other professions will naturally follow in their wake. Never was there a time when united action was more needed. The panic left the banks in a chaotic condition a falling off in deposits and millions in paper that they must carry, or crush thousands of farmers and merchants if they forced immediate settlement. This has not only been a loss of vast sums in interest to the borrower, who hoped to settled long ago from sources certain, but it is with-holding the money from the bona-fide speculator who would use the same for the benefit of trade. The merchants are perhaps the hardest pressed of all business men, from the same cause. The farmer—the groundwork of the earth's greatness has been at work, until recently, entirely oblivious of results, only being glad of the privilege to work, leaving all to others, who of course, being busy with their own affairs, overlooked his welfare. With the banks and the merchants powerless to help the producer as before, it has caused him to think, to consider for himself, to ask equitable prices for the products of his labor, and fair treatment at the hands of others.

The intents of these classes named are mutual and should be so admitted by all. Co-operation should be the watchword, and the Society of Equity is the organization to complete this great work, already begun, in all parts of the Union. It enrolls not only the wage earner, the producer of farm products, but his friends of every other calling. Our motto is "An equitable price for all farm products, and peace and good will to all mankind." Our banner waves over the ruins of no legitimate enterprise, nor can our path be traced

by the wreck of honest tradesmen; but we accord to every one the right to live, move and obtain an honorable support.

Then brethren, let us keep up our distress signal, inviting success, promising to help whomsoever we can all the time feeling that the "Lord of Hosts will arm the right" in this fight for industrial independence.

M. F. P.

AGENTS OF THE GREAT TOBACCO TRUST TOOK NOTICE.

When the Union Tobacco Society Was Organized in Bowling Green Last Week.

All the tobacco growers in Kentucky and other states have combined to go after the American Tobacco Company, or so-called trust, with hammer and tongs, writes the Louisville correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer.

For the first time, they say, they are a compact body and are prepared to deal a blow every time the "octopus' strikes.

At Bowling Green Thursday all the associations of Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio and Tennessee were merged, so far as their fight against the American Tobacco Company was concerned, into one organization.

Mathematically speaking, the combined wealth was enough to cope with the great New York interests which the farmers say have been grinding them into the dust of their own tobacco fields for 20 years.

Tobacco men from all States were present in the Warren county capital. Discussion dealt with the various problems of the association severally, and it was finally decreed and decided that there was not an interest of one which was not an interest of another organization, and that the common end of all was to combat the trust. From this argument organization was perfected with results which will probably furnish the industrial world with such a spectacle as it has never seen before.

Belief is general here that night riding will at once cease. Others maintain that it may burst out now and then in the remote portions of the state that organized night riding of the farmers against their neighbors in the bluegrass and Western Kentucky and Tennessee is dead forever as a result of the Bowling Green meeting.

One of the most prominent of the tobacco men was in Louisville after the meeting and the opinion was his:

"The association of the various societies," he said, "gives sinew and one purpose to what is perhaps the greatest pact of farmers in the world's history. It makes of five or six somewhat ineffectual struggles against the power of the tobacco company one concerted attack, which will get through the armor even of Wall street, I believe."

"I may say that when the meeting was in progress agents of the American and the Imperial companies telegraphed the news to New York at once and the stir it caused in the offices there would have convinced the right tack.

Farmers, by getting together, have started everything that amounted to anything on earth. The American Revolution was begun by a bunch of farmers. The French Revolution started with the peasants. We are not up against anything quite so serious as either. It is hardly a matter of life and death. But it has become in some places a matter of bread-and-meat."

All the men at the meeting were optimists. But of the optimists and those who had unlimited faith in what the farmer of Kentucky would eventually do to grow his tobacco and sell it at his own price was Miss Alice Lloyd, of Dover.

She is the young woman who jumped unwillingly into the limelight some weeks ago by contradicting Governor Wilson on the stage of a theatre here and tell former Governor Buckner that he didn't understand the situation of the Equity grower.

Since then Miss Lloyd has been known as Joan of Arc of the growers, and when she made a speech at Bowling Green the farmers and officials of the association applauded her until their palms were calloused.

The general impression is that the unified action begun at the meeting will go far toward making the fight against the trust a successful one for the growers.

(From Bowling Green Messenger.)

THE WISDOM OF THE WORK.
A farmer going out one day

To throw his horses down some hay,
Heard, just before he reached the loft,

A queer voice, piping, clear, but soft,
With foot on ladder he made pause,
To see if he could trace the cause,
And with success locate the sound.

Which seemed to come from under ground.
At last he followed up the clue,
Exposing an old worm to view,
Which in the earth had made its bed.

But from the dust now reared its head.

Say, Mr. Farmer, do you know

When we will have another show

To fill our stomachs with "long green?"
For by this time you've doubtless seen,
How much we need a good square meal,
Too poor to crawl we weakly reel.
We heard that many had agreed
To make no beds, to sow no seed,
But we just laughed, because we knew
That only half of this was true.
'Tis hard to form a "Farmers' Pool"
That safe will hold the squirming school.

The barns must be plastered tight,
Or they will find its holes "all right"

And work until they wriggle through

And then their "own sweet way" pursue.

You cannot carroll them at all—
They'll jump the fence, and leap the wall;

You cannot break them for the track,

They'll rear and kick, or balk and back.

Or run with bit between their teeth,
And spill the driver on the heath.

Now why this state of things should be

I cannot fully clearly see.

All other business men combine

To safeguard products in their line.

But farmers never do unite

In solid rank, a foe to fight;

So e'en a brainless worm can guess

What must occur to them, unless

They join together as a band,

And firm and true, like soldiers stand,

With colors blazoned "Might is Right."

But now I must crawl back to bed,

For too much speaking hurts my head;

But if these hard times I survive

Come dig me up (if I'm alive),

When Equity can say to trust:

"Now you can take our terms"—or bust.

—The Worm.

THE A. S. OF E. AND THE MONEY PANIC.

The necessity of a farmers' organization becomes more and more obvious as time advances. The truth of this statement can be substantiated, perhaps, in no better way than by discussing one of the questions of the day, i. e., the "money panic." No one knows the cause of the money stringency at this time, and, as was stated in one of our dailies not long ago: "Statisticians will have trouble in the future, when they strike the fact, that 1907 was a year of the greatest prosperity, and of a panic."

I stated above no one knows the cause of the panic, but I will modify that statement somewhat, as perhaps the trusts, speculators and the money kings do know the cause.

After liberal discussions with bankers and business men of various cities, and after noting the many articles written by very intelligent writers in the daily papers and magazines on this subject, the writer still

has no enlightenment as the cause of the panic.

Like physicians in a case of sickness, we would find, first, the cause of the disease, and then, having found it, we could apply the remedy more successfully and perhaps prevent a second attack of the troubles.

A noted writer recently suggested the passing of a bill by which and through which the banks and financial institutions be supplied with more currency in the all of the year, stating as his reason that the money stringencies invariably occur in the fall of the year; that "moving the crops" requires a vast amount of money in short period and that this extra supply of currency be used for that purpose.

Will you, brother farmers, just stop and read those three words again, and then consider the vast meaning of the sentence preceding them.

Upon this proposition we base our entire argument. Not that we need an extra supply of currency in the fall of the year to "move the crops," but that we market our crops gradually throughout the year, thereby meeting the demand of the consumers and also the steady supply of currency.

As I view the situation, it would be folly to even make an attempt at applying this extra amount of funds for "moving the crops."

While it is true that money, when in circulation, is the foundation of prosperity, yet it is no less true that, put in the hands of a few, it is the menace of a nation.

Put an extra supply of currency in the banks and financial institutions in the fall of the year with which to buy the crops in a short period, and you give a greater scope, a larger field, for speculations in farm products. Do this and you will encourage that abominable crime which the farmers, by organization, are trying to eliminate and against which every true American citizen should revolt.

If it is true (and perhaps it is) that the moving of the crops is the cause for money stringencies, then, brother farmers, let us push onward with organization on the A. S. of E. plan as never before, never tiring, never ceasing, until our band is large enough and strong enough to have concert of action to such an extent that the farm products will be marketed gradually through the year, and we will not need an extra supply of currency in the fall of the year to "move the crops" from the farm into the hands of the grain givers.

Furthermore, when we become thus organized we can demand better banking laws, and get them.

Thorough organization in the American Society of Equity is a sure preventive of a "money panic."

ERNEST F. KROST,
Vice-Pres. Ill. State Union, Carlyle, Ill.

SEVEN One SENTENCE SERMONS!

Life is learning, suffering, loving;
and the greatest of these is loving—

The noblest question in the world is,
What good may I do in it?—

Benjamin Franklin.

There is nothing so great that I
fear to do for my friend; nor no

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?

It means that the people of this country are demanding lower prices on what they buy, and in order to meet their demands, we will on the

15 Day of September Open Our Store on a Cash Basis!

In adopting a cash system we feel that it will be beneficial not only to the seller, but to the buyer also. No firm that sells goods on long time CAN OR WILL SELL GOODS AS CHEAP as those who sell for cash.

We propose to convince you of this fact if you will come to see us and investigate for yourself. We will make every day a bargain day, but will have a SPECIAL BARGAIN DAY every week. On this bargain day we will sell you goods at prices that will astonish you.

Remember, that You Can Get From Us Anything in the Hardware Line.

In addition to the Special Bargain Day in each week, we will on the first day of January, 1909, give away one of our

Celebrated Tennessee Farm Wagons.

Every person who buys goods from us will receive a ticket for every dollar spent, and every ticket will be a chance to get this celebrated wagon, free. So remember, that the more tickets you have the more chances you have to get this celebrated wagon.

We will include in this drawing all those who owe us and pay their accounts on or before that day. So if you are indebted to us call and pay your account and receive a ticket for every dollar paid.

This is no fake advertisement. We mean what we say. Don't forget the name or the place.

Olive & Walker HARDWARE DEALERS

In Front of Court House.

MARION, KY.

O. I. C. Pigs For Sale.

I have a very thrifty uniform litter of O. I. C. Pigs that are subject to registration for sale at \$10.00 each would be glad for those interested call and see them or write me. J. L. WRIGHT, Hampion Kentucky.

Oct. 1.

Is Your Skin Healthy?
You!!!

is liable to mean a very serious one to-morrow.

Are there "itchy" places on your face, head, arms,

The soul would have no rainbow,

Had the eyes no tears,

John Vance Cheney

He who has battled, were it only

with poverty and hard toil,

will be found stronger and more expert than

he who could stay at home from the

battle concealed among the provision

wagons, or even rest unwatchfully

abiding the stuff.—Carlyle.

Smiles.

This doesn't necessarily mean have you

any serious skin disease at this moment

—though just as sure as you are reading this, a little skin trouble to-day

is liable to mean a very serious one to-morrow.

Does your skin ever burn or smart—particularly on your feet?

Littell's Liquid Sulphur will stop the pain, cure

the cause and cool and refresh the skin.

Have you pimples, red spots or blotches or are you

troubled with boils or carbuncles?

Littell's Liquid Sulphur taken internally and applied externally will cure them and prevent their return by purifying your blood.

Have you any serious skin disease that has been

treated for a long time but doesn't seem to get well?

Littell's Liquid Sulphur, if used strictly according to

directions, absolutely will cure it.

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QUALITY FIRST

We always consider quality the first point in obtaining genuine values. Quality is really the only foundation upon which to build, because it gives you your money's worth, full value, cent for cent and brings you back again. That is why we talk quality and sell quality

Not a few styles to select from here, but an assortment most complete in fabrics patterns and styles, with prices to suit every one. We are now ready for you, for

Suits or Extra Pants

School Suits for the boys

We want to show you what we have and compare

STYLE
FIT
QUALITY
and PRICE
With anyone.



We now have the new things in Fall and Winter Dress Goods.

We do not take a "Back Seat" to any one in the Dress Goods Line. So don't think we haven't got what you want, but come and see for yourself.

New Goods Still Rolling In.

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| New line of FALL SHIRTS | HATS, CAPS, GLOVES and SUSPENDERS |
| Come see them and you will buy | |

If you want to see real bargains in

RUGS

We can show you

WHAT DO YOUTHINK

We can sell you Four pair of

Misses and Children's

Hoes that is warrant-ed to wear three months. So this saves the darning proposition. TRY THEM.

You will soon begin to think about

WINTER SHOES

and you want to get them for as little money as possible to get

GOOD ONES

We are now fully prepared to meet your wants in foot-wear.

IT'S A FEAT TO FIT FEET

But we are adapt in the art. Buy your shoes here and get Good Ones.

THE QUALITY STORE. TAYLOR & CANNAN

PERSONALS

F. W. Nunn dentist, Press Building Raymond Babb, of Salem, was here Tuesday.

Willis Nunn, of Anniston, Mo., has been then the guest of relatives in the county.

J. B. Pierce, of Elizabethtown, Ky., was here Thursday on business.

Rev. Frank Ramsey, wife and son were the guests of S. T. Dupuy and wife at dinner Monday.

E. T. Franklin and son Hollis were in the city Saturday with a car load of sheep which Ed Cook was selling.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson, of Lola, was here Saturday enroute to Clay to visit her sister Mrs. A. U. Lamb.

FOR SALE—Scholarship in prominent Business College.

THE CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS

Will Adams, of the Crayne section went to Louisville Tuesday morning to attend the State Fair. He will be absent all week.

Miss Sallie Bond returned home Monday after a month's visit to her sister, Mrs. Gus Taylor.

Mrs. Chas. M. Davis and daughter Ethelene of Mayfield, Ky., visited Mrs. Gus Taylor.

Mrs. Josephine Adams was quite ill Saturday night and was under the care of a physician, but is somewhat improved now.

Marion Smart and wife, of Fords Ferry, spent a few days in town the first of the week, the guests of his mother, Mrs. Smart.

Mrs. M. E. Bacon, of Hopkinsville, accompanied by a little friend, "Top" Wilson, visited her relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Judge Koltinsky while assisting about loading a car of lumber Monday had the misfortune to smash three of his fingers very badly.

W. L. Vera and family have taken rooms at the Hotel Crittenden for the winter. He is connected with the Albany Mining Co.

FOR SALE.—A house and lot at a bargain on east Depot street, Marion Ky. House of 4 rooms, pantry, hall, veranda and back porch; well and sisters in yard, out houses, good garden and fence.

Strother Russell and wife were the guests of T. C. Stone and wife last week while enroute to Melber, Ky., from Dixon. They went there to visit Mrs. Russell's sister who resides there. Mr. Russell is foreman of the Journal."

Virgil Moore and Gray Rochester left Thursday at noon for Lexington to attend the State College.

FOUND—A pair of spectacles which owner can have by paying for this notice and describing them.

Thos. Lowery, of Salem Valley, was in the city Tuesday, with his son, Herman, who was enroute to Louisville to enter a school of Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Taylor and baby girl, Marie returned last week from a most delightful trip to Chicago and Lake Michigan. The automobiles of the city and the yachts of the lake added much to the pleasure of the trip.

Mrs. H. C. King, of Memphis, Tenn., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. M. Conger at the Hotel Crittenden.

Mrs. Felix Cox and son, Virgil, and daughter, Anna, were here Saturday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baird.

Robt. S. Enochs who has been with the I. C. Construction department, was here last week. He now has a fine place with the great Northern R. R., and left Saturday afternoon for Omaha.

Mrs. Robt. Enoch and son are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Long of the Chapel Hill vicinity. She has been with her husband, at West Point, Ky., for several months and will join him again, near Omaha, Nebraska, soon.

J. J. Clement who shipped two car loads of stock to the Cincinnati, O., market Saturday, left Sunday for that place to attend the stock sales.

Rev. F. P. Ramsey preached two excellent sermons here Sunday morning and evening and one at Deans in the afternoon. He left Monday afternoon with his wife and son for their new home in Chicago, Ill.

NOTICE—All persons interested in Love Grove Yard are requested to meet there Thursday Sept. 24th, for the purpose of cleaning off the yard.

—E. B. Moore, T. E. Griffith and H. C. Love.

Mrs. Hopkins who was before her marriage, Miss Blake Harpending of the New Salem section, is expected

Ed W. Baker, of Crider, was here Saturday, accompanied by his little son Noel. Mr. Baker is engaged extensively in the Bee culture and has a fine yield of over 1000 lbs. per year, from his own hives.

Phin Miles and daughter, Miss Willie, of Hardesty, were in the city Wednesday night, and left Thursday for St. Vincent, Ky., where Miss Miles will enter school.

Harve Babb, of Providence, will attend the State College at Lexington, Ky., this fall. He joined the Marion boys Thursday at Nortonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daughtrey have the sincere sympathy of everyone, in the loss of their beautiful little daughter, Katherine, who died Monday morning after a short illness.

J. H. Wood's colt was the town talk Monday. He is a beauty in form, color and style. Jim Stewart, his sire, is as proud as a peacock when he sees him, and so is his owner who values him at \$100,000.

W. H. Ordway and daughter, Miss Ada, left Tuesday to visit friends and relatives in Texas and Oklahoma. Miss Ordway will visit her brother in Texas, and will be gone several weeks.

Joe M. Dean left Tuesday for Barstow, Texas., to visit his father, Dr. Thos. L. Dean and family. This is Joe's first visit in several years.

He was accompanied by his aunt, Miss Nannie Dean, who may spend the winter there.

The rivalry between neighbors is something remarkable. Last week Dr. T. A. Frazer had a new roof put on his residence and almost immediately Seldon Ainsworth ordered his domicile re-roofed.

"They say now that Will Clark is threatening to get married, not wishing to be outdone by Mr. Ainsworth.

A. M. Witherspoon and wife are spending this month at W. T. Terry's, where Mr. Witherspoon is doing carpenter work for Mr. Terry, who is having two new rooms and an additional story added to his house, which is completed. Mr. Terry will have one of the most comfortable homes in the county.

W. T. Padon and wife, of Hamp-ton, are now visiting Dr. Allen Lowry and wife, of Blackwell, Okla.

—Mrs. Padon was Miss Mallie Padon

Mrs. Nannie Vinson, who has been visiting her son in Houston, Texas., is back in old Kentucky and is now visiting her son, Bob Vinson.

Miss Lillie Cook returned to Paducah Friday, after spending the summer vacation at Winona, Mich., and here with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Clifton.

J. W. Belt has just completed a fine tobacco barn on his farm three miles from town, and best of all, he has it full of fine tobacco all safe from frost. Hurrah for John Wesley.

Dr. J. W. Crawford and wife, of Blandville, Ky., who have been the guests of relatives here and in Livingston county for several weeks, left Thursday for home. Dr. and Mrs. Crawford are a highly respected and much beloved old couple.

Besides the Marion Silver Cornet Band which furnished the music for the occasion, there were several from Marion who attended the Farmers' Union picnic at Applegate Thursday, those we now recall were W. D. Baird, Walter McDonnell, J. C. Wallace and J. W. Blue.

Herbert G. Whitney, of Water Valley, Miss., who accompanied his wife here for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dorr, left Thursday at noon for his home to resume his duties in the Chief Dispatcher's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Hughes are the proud parents of a fine girl baby which the stork left at their home, Sunday, Aug. 16th, 1908. Her name is Crystal Irene. Mrs. Hughes was Miss Lynne before her marriage.

Linford T. Love, of Sheridan, has rented his farm to his brother, C. C. Love, and will remove with his family to Carterville, Ill., where he has accepted a position with the Madison Coal Co. at a nice salary. He left Saturday going overland to Golead, where he took train. He begins work Sept. 15th, for his new employers.

J. P. Pierce, J. P. Morgan, Jas. Hicklin, Geo. Williams, Jesse Olive, J. H. Nimmo, John Sutherland, John Bell, W. D. Johnson and son, Luther, Cellus Holloman attended the picnic at Caldwell Springs Tuesday, Sept. 8th, also John Asbridge and wife, S. M. Jenkins and wife, Rush Stephenson and wife. All are enthusiastic over the reception they received and report a most enjoyable day and an eloquent dinner.

J. B. Hughes attended the Farmers' Union picnic at Caldwell Springs last week.

Miss Effie Deboe is now money order cashier and assistant in the post office. She is quite efficient in her work and will please the patrons we predict.

Mrs. Joe Johnson, of Lola, and her mother, Mrs. Tally, returned from Clay, Ky., Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. A. U. Lamb.

Rev. Eldredge, the pastor called to the Presbyterian church, will fill the pulpit at that church Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Nelle Love will leave Sunday for Greenville, Ky., to visit her sister, Mrs. Williams. She will be absent several weeks.

Judge Walter Blackburn, E. M. McFee, J. E. Dean, Dr. J. O. Dixon, Sam Gugenheim, Gus Taylor, Mrs. J. W. Wilson and son Reginald and many others attended the State fair at Louisville this week.

LOST.—Ten dollars Monday. The finder, if honest, will return to me.

Guy Givens.

Charlie R. Murphy, of Sheridan, Ky., joined the U. S. army at the army recruiting station at Princeton, Ky., Sept. 8th, 1908. He enlisted for the coast artillery branch of service and passed an excellent physical examination. He was sent immediately to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., for his preliminary training as a soldier prior to joining the organization that he enlisted for. He is to be congratulated on choosing and receiving service with the colors both at home and abroad.

A. L. Boaz, of Rufus, was in the city yesterday and reported the loss of nine acres of tobacco by the wind and hail storm of last Sunday afternoon. Mr. Boaz said that about three hundred sticks of tobacco is all of the nine acres he and his brother have, and that was cut prior to the storm. It seems the storm was more severe in that section of the county than any other place, as several crops were almost completely destroyed.—Princeton Leader.

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Heart strength, or Heart Weakness, means Nerve strength, or Nerve Weakness—nothing more. Positively, not one weak heart in a hundred is in itself, actually diseased. It is almost always a condition of tiny, thin nerves, the Cardiac, or Heart Nerves—simply needs and must have, more power, more stability, more controlling, more governing strength. And, further, that the Heart must continue to fail, and the skin, kidneys, etc., kidneys also have to come down controlling nerves.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative has in it nothing so much as the heart and nerve tonic, Dr. King's New Life Pill, and this all-powerful, pain-relieving, softening heart distress. Dr. Shoop's Restorative—the popular prescription—is alone directed to those weak and failing nerve centers. In fact, it will help if you would have strong hearts, strong digestion, strengthen these nerves—re-establish them as needed with

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"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for many years, with increasing satisfaction. They take the kinks out of stomach, liver and bowels, without fuss or friction," says N. H. Brown, of Pittsfield, Vt. Guaranteed satisfaction at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor's stores, 25c.

LOW RATES.

Lexington, Sept., 21-24 account Grand Lodge Night of Pythias of Kentucky, \$8.15 for the round trip. Date of sale Sept., 19, 20 and 21, return Sept., 25.

Hopkinsville Ky., and return account State Convention Christian Church Sept., 21-24, \$1.95 for the round trip. Date of sale Sept. 21 to 25, return Sept., 26.

Tickling or dry Coughs will quickly loosen when using Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. And it is so thoroughly harmless, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else, even for very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub give the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. It calms the cough and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Accept no other, sold by J. H. Orme.

Fair Warning.

All accounts due the CRITTENDEN RECORD at the time it suspended publication and all due the PRESS prior to the date of consolidation, and all due the CRITTENDEN RECORD-PRESS will be put into the hands of an attorney for collection, unless settled this month.

S. M. JENKINS.

A Sure-enough Knocker.

J. C. Goodwin, of Reidsville, N. C., says: "Bucklen' Arnica Salve is a sure enough knocker for ulcers. A bad one came on my leg last summer, but that wonderful salve knocked it out in a few rounds. Not even a scar remained." Guaranteed for piles, sores, burns etc. 25 cents at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor's drug stores.

Keep Your Bowels Open

A Safe Certain Home Remedy that is Sold By All Druggists

A fact any doctor will verify is that constipated people suffer most from disease. Regular bowel action is absolutely necessary to health. People who are constipated either part or all of the time must use something to make their bowels move. This should not be a violent purgative or a cathartic that merely tears its way through the bowels emptying them of waste matter for the time but leaving them in a weakened state that prolongs the constipated condition. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin is an easy, pleasant, natural laxative that removes the waste matter and establishes regular, daily movements without pain or gripes. Children and delicate women should never be given strong purgatives for it not only weakens the bowels but the entire system. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin serves as a tonic and an aid to digestion as well as a laxative that is certain in its effect upon the most obstinate old cases and yet safe and pleasant for a baby. With the first few doses the ill effects of constipation, such as dyspepsia, indigestion, liver trouble, biliousness, flatulence, sour stomach, sick headache, bloated stomach, etc., quickly disappear. It is a remedy that should be in every home for every member of the family at some time has need of a safe, sure laxative.

Mrs. J. C. Cooper, Chicago, Ill., writes: "I take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin for myself and family. I have had it constantly, as I find it to be a most pleasant laxative and is all you claim for it."

Sarah J. Houser, Eureka Springs, Ark., says: "I would have been dead had it not been for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepin. It is the best medicine I ever used for constipation, indigestion and biliousness."

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We are glad to send a free sample to any one who has not used it and will give it a fair trial. Write today to Pepin Syrup Co., 305 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. All druggists sell it at 50¢ and \$1.00 per bottle.

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PAIN'S BIG MIMIC CITY

Pain's Big Pompeian Spectacle Each Night at the State Fair.

No scenic representation could be more realistic than the magnificent view which is spread out before the spectator in Pain's elaborate production "Last Days of Pompeii." The scenic city spreads out over an area of four acres of ground, and so perfect is the work of the painter in the perspective that one seems to be looking upon a real city and a landscape that stretches seemingly away for miles. Real massive buildings twenty to fifty feet high, loom up in the foreground, representing the palaces, temples, etc., of the picturesque ancient city, while huge triumphal arches adorn its streets. Towering above all these is the ever beautiful and treacherous Mt. Vesuvius. A force of over forty skilled scenic mechanics are necessary to place this scene city in position each day, in spite of every time and labor saving device that can be provided.

Pompeii is to be destroyed again. Not the ancient city that nestled among the Italian hills at the foot of Mt. Vesuvius, but the big scenic city in Pain's vast spectacle of "Last Days of Pompeii," that will be seen at the Kentucky State Fair. This mimic city represents with ideal accuracy the fated city that perished in the First century of the Christian era. The scenery used in this production covers an area of fully four acres of ground, but so deceptive is the perspective that it appears to spread out over many times that space. The view is said to be marvelously correct and historically accurate, being like what the archeologists now suppose the ancient city was at the time it was destroyed. The whole effect under the dome of half a hundred lights and calcimines is most beautiful. As one sits in the vast amphitheatre and gazes on the scene before him he sees the tall Vesuvius with its head raised against the sky; below are the houses, temples, arches, etc., and to properly represent these latter many real structures twenty to forty feet in height are blended in with the "picture" in the background.

The scene opens with a full day in the ancient city and for upward of an hour the audience is entertained with a vivid production of the sports and feasts of the hippodrome, exciting chariot races, sensational aerial and acrobatic feats, pretty ballets, imposing and gorgeously costumed processions, choruses, music, etc. The tragic dramatic episodes of the spectacle are shown in pantomime. The fates are interrupted by the terrific eruption of Vesuvius and the destruction of the city by the earthquake, which is a scene thrilling beyond description, and brings into action all the skill and ingenuity of Pain's artists. Following these stirring scenes there is presented a beautiful exhibition of fireworks, and those who have seen these pyrotechnics of the famous Pain have never realized the full meaning of the word before.

Railroads will make special rates from nearly all surrounding towns on the date of this exhibition.

The most magnificent display of pyrotechnics ever witnessed in this section of the state is promised in connection with Pain's big spectacle. This display is, in fact, the crowning "feature" of the marvelous exhibition, and as Pain has long enjoyed the reputation of "king of pyrotechnicians" in both England and America, it is more than likely we shall behold something unusually fine in pyrotechnic novelties on this occasion. Among the most elaborate "set pieces" shown will be a mammoth revolving fountain of fire; Aladdin's Jeweled Palms, and the beautiful Pyramids. These are only a few of the larger special pieces that will be shown. For the edification of the little folks there will be a large number of comic fireworks devices, such as the "Devil-Among-the-Tallows," the huge walking elephant, the flying pigeons, the acrobatic monkey, the flying fish, etc.

TOBACCO.

Tobacco will be a bigger feature than ever at the State Fair this year. The prizes offered are larger and the classes are more numerous. Classes are provided for the following tobacco types: Red Leaf, Bright Leaf, Cigarette wrapper and Bright Trash. The dark types are black wrapper, long or African leaf, French leaf, Italian leaf, Green River leaf and stemmering leaf. Mrs. M. G. Rankin offers \$75 in premiums for the best display of 1907 burley crop, for the best display of 1908 dark tobacco and best display of 1908 Green River tobacco. Not more than four samples can be entered out of a single crop, but if the exhibitor has more than one crop raised on his farm he is entitled to four samples out of each crop. A special burley tobacco class is being considered in which the entries of dealers, growers or associations will be accepted.

RAILROAD RATES TO STATE FAIR

Railroad rate of one fare plus 25 cents for round trip from all points in Kentucky has been secured by the Transportation Committee for the State Fair. It is estimated that a quarter of a million people will take advantage of this rate.

There will be more than 2,000 awards of premiums at the Kentucky State Fair this year, an average of more than 500 awards daily.

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CONVENTIONS AND EXCURSIONS.

A new special committee has been created this year by the State Fair management, known as the Committee on Excursions and Conventions, with Mr. Smith T. Bailey as chairman. Already a number of annual meetings for state organizations have been secured, including the Kentucky Beef Cattle Association, the Kentucky Dairy Cattle Club, the Swine Breeders' Association, the State Berkshire Association, the State Horticultural Society, the Good Roads Association and various others of a kindred nature.

A suitable convention hall will be provided underneath the grandstand with every accommodation and convenience possible for the visiting organizations. Chairman Bailey expects to have many other meetings held before the opening day and is arranging to have a large number of excursion trains from all sections of the state. In other words, it is his intention to make it a convention week and the banner week in the history of the Falls City for the largest number of out-of-town visitors.

THE NEW STATE FAIR GROUNDS.

The new Kentucky State Fair grounds, where the 1908 annual exhibition will be held, is easily one of the most modernly arranged and best equipped in the country. From an aesthetic point of view the graceful lines of the buildings harmonize with the surrounding topography. The car lines will extend from the grounds so that one may step directly from the car to the entrance of the Fair. An imposing archway will extend over the main driveway at the entrance. The driveway, 100 feet in width, leads directly to the Livestock Pavilion. Green plots with rows of trees will divide this driveway and lines of hedges will border it on the sides. In front of the Livestock Pavilion will be an attractive fountain located in the center of large flower bed designs.

The racetrack and grandstand are located in the eastern part of the grounds, some 600 feet from the pavilion. The surface of the track has been finished with exceptionally fine clay. The stables and cooling shed for horses are located just south of the track. The architecture of all the buildings will be along the lines of the Spanish Mission style, with white sides and red tile roofs. This classic and style of architecture will harmonize with the undulating grounds and graceful driveways which are bordered with hedges and plants and give it a most pleasing appearance.

\$100,000 LIVESTOCK PAVILION.

It is with much pride that the State Fair management will open to the public in September what it has every reason to believe is the finest livestock pavilion in the world. While somewhat similar to other great State Fair pavilions, it is quite different from any of them and combines the good points of all of them. It will be 312 feet wide and 400 feet long, with an interior arena measuring 116 by 300 feet. There will be an entrance to the arena at either end, having direct connection with the horse and cattle barns. A fifteen-foot promenade will extend entirely around the outside of the arena. The main entrances are arranged in four large towers, one at each corner of the building, to give an abundance of space for entrance and exit. The construction is of the most permanent character, being largely concrete and steel. All horses and cattle will be exhibited in this building, a great improvement over the hot, dusty show rings and the inconvenient stuff tents used in the past.

WEBER'S BAND

Weber's Prize Band of America, one of the finest concert organizations in the West, will furnish the music for the State Fair. Each of Weber's programs will be three hours long and be made up entirely of popular music. A number of soloists will be heard. Mr. Weber has felt the public pulse long enough to know about what is wanted; add to this a band that is unsurpassed anywhere, his own personality and splendid leading powers, soloists of known ability, and it is hard to see how the State Fair management could have secured a bigger attraction in the way of a band.

THE HORSE SHOW AT

KENTUCKY STATE FAIR. With the biggest prizes ever offered for horses at the Kentucky Fair, the greatest exhibit of equine flesh in the history of the Blue Grass State is confidently expected. For the first time exhibitors and spectators will have the pleasure of seeing a first-class horse show in a large, commodious arena, completely under shelter, without fearing the effect of the burning sun or being exposed to damp and chilly weather and undergoing the inconvenience of a weather-soaked show ring.

Turnstiles to Be Used at the Kentucky State Fair.

Secretary J. W. Newman of the Kentucky State Fair has provided the most approved pattern of turnstile to be used at each entrance to the State Fair. Neither the skinny nor the fat man will have any trouble in passing through them. They are equipped with registers which can tell at any minute just how many persons have passed through.

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SIX GREAT DAYS AT THE KENTUCKY STATE FAIR.

The Special Days program has been announced, with Fred W. Kiske, President of the Louisville Commercial Club, as general chairman of the Special Days committee. The first day will be known as Governor's Day and School Children's Day. It will mark the dedication of the new \$100,000 Live Stock Pavilion, which is now nearing completion, and which when finished will be by far the greatest exhibition hall in America. It is a building which will reflect credit not only to the management of the State Fair, but to the state itself. The ceremonies will include an address by Governor Wilson and in all probability a number of other distinguished speakers will be present on that occasion. School children will be admitted for 10 cents, and Prof. H. C. McKee, President of the Kentucky State Educational Association, who is chairman of the first day's program is endeavoring to get out the largest attendance of children ever seen on a fairground in a single day.

Tuesday, Sept. 15th, will be College Day and Fraternal Day. Prof. F. Paul Anderson of the State University at Lexington, is chairman, and Charles B. Norton of Louisville, vice chairman for that day. On account of the very low railroad rates a much larger attendance of college students than usual is expected, and Prof. Anderson is actively working for large delegations from all the various collegiate institutions in the state. All the fraternal organizations of Louisville and other cities and towns of the state are invited to join in an effort to make this one of the greatest days of the Fair. On this day the judging in all departments will begin. Horse and cattle awards will be made in the new show pavilion, while all other livestock, poultry and other departments will be judged in arenas especially prepared for that purpose.

Wednesday, Sept. 16th, will be Louisville Day and Southern Indiana Day. Mayor James P. Grinstead of Louisville will be chairman, and Jacob Best, mayor of New Albany, and E. N. Flynn, mayor of Jeffersonville, vice chairmen. The mayors of all three cities will issue a half-holiday proclamation. In addition to the many attractive horse rings, jack stock, Hereford and Angus cattle, Ayreshires, Durock Jersey and Chester White Swine, Hampshire, Cotswold and American Merino sheep will be judged. Thursday, always the largest in attendance of the week, will be known as Kentucky Day and Press Day. On no single day or event in the year are so many Kentuckians from all sections of the state assembled together. Mr. Tim Needham, Williamson, Ky., president of the Kentucky Press Association, is chairman for that day and has named for his associates a number of the most widespread young newspaper men of the state, and if plans do not miscarry it will prove a genuine reunion of the quill-pushers.

Governor Wilson will call a meeting of all persons interested in good roads in Kentucky on this day at the State Fair. Every city, commercial club, and fiscal court in the state will be invited to send delegates, and it is expected to here organize a permanent Good Roads Association in Kentucky. The question of securing the adoption by the people in 1909 of the Bowditch good roads amendment to the Constitution will be discussed. With low railroad rates and the State Fair attractions, it is thought a record-breaking crowd of good road advocates will be on hand.

Friday, Sept. 18th, has been designated as Equity Day and Grange Day. J. Campbell Cantrell of Georgetown, Ky., president of the Kentucky Branch American Society of Equity, has been named as chairman and F. P. Wolcott of Covington, Ky., Master of the Kentucky State Grange, vice chairman. Arrangements are being made for an immense parade of the members of the Society of Equity, composed of the many tobacco growers in both the dark patch and burley districts, through the streets of Louisville that day. This powerful organization, assisted by that noble band of true and enlightened farmers known as the Patrons of Husbandry, are uniting their efforts and working shoulder to shoulder in this move and propose to make it an event of far-reaching importance and magnitude to the Kentucky farmer. Miss Alice Loyd, the daughter of the Society of Equity, will deliver an address. The judging in all departments except horses will be concluded this day, and in the afternoon there will be a grand parade of all the prize winners, horses, mules, jacks and cattle in the Livestock Pavilion, with ribbons attached and animals placed in the order the awards were made.

Saturday, the last day, will be Everybody's Day. Anyone not classed under any other day will certainly be included in this.

Fairs Time-Keepers of Progress.

President McKinley in his last speech made upon the grounds of the Buffalo Exposition, said among other things: "Fairs and Expositions are the timepieces which mark the progress of nations, and every fair, great or small, has helped in some onward progress."

The Kentucky breeder of livestock cannot bring his stock before the public attention better than by taking a premium at the Kentucky State Fair.

A State Fair ribbon has the backing of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. It is a trophy of great sentimental and advertising value aside from the cash premium which accompanies it.

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A GREAT LINE OF FREE ATTRACTIONS.

In line with its policy to put on only the greatest attractions that can be secured, the Kentucky State Fair management has closed a contract with Frank P. Spellman of Cleveland, O., for what is believed to be the best line of free attractions ever seen at a Southern Fair. These attractions will be seen in front of the grandstand each day, including Spellman's Performing Bears and ten other free attractions, such as trapeze acts, mid-air performances, etc.

A Japanese troupe of gymnasts and acrobats, excelling in their line and agility, ever seen before in Louisville, has been engaged especially for the State Fair, and will be seen exclusively in Kentucky at that time.

Accidents do not occur in this act, but despite their perfection it is spread for a possible emergency, so that even if an accident should occur, no fatal would result.

The shows already engaged for the "Stretch" are Ferrier's Trained Wild Animal Congress, the Dicky Wild West Show and Cow Boy Indians; the Dark Town Fire Brigade; Hounds and Hell Mechanical Device; Johnson's Flood; Palace of Illusions; Electric Palace, and many others which will be added later. This is enough to insure every visitor that there will be something doing every minute.

EXHIBITS AND CLASSIFICATIONS

At the Kentucky State Fair. Entries of exhibits in all Livestock Departments, except for horses, mules and jack stock, will close Monday, Sept. 7th, at 6 p. m., and in all other departments prior to Thursday, Sept. 10th. Entries of horses, mules and jacks will positively close at 12 o'clock the day before the exhibition this year, as they will be a pointed program of the horse show, giving the name of the owner, the name and color of the horse, and the number on the person riding, driving or exhibiting same. It is absolutely essential that the entry giving this information be filed with the Secretary by noon of the day preceding the exhibition.

Exhibits must be placed by 9 o'clock Monday morning, Sept. 7th, and exhibitors in all departments have been so notified.

There are 1,328 different rings in which liberal prizes are offered, while there is a total of over 300 different lots. The horse classification is subdivided into classes suitable for light harness, five-gaited saddlers, three-gaited saddlers, roadsters, combined harness and five-gaited saddlers, plantation saddlers, runabouts, high steppers, Shetland ponies and fine horses. The mules and jack stock are well taken care of.

In the Beef Cattle Department the classification is complete for Short-horns, Herefords, Polled Durhams, Aberdeen-Angus and Red Polls. In the dairy cattle department Jerseys, Holstein-Friesians, Guernseys and Ayrshires are recognized. The Swine Department includes Berkshires, Poland-Chinas, Durock Jerseys, Chester Whites, Tamworths, Hampshires and Yorkshires. In the Sheep Department the following breeds are recognized: Shropshire, Cotswolds, Southdowns, American Merinos, Oxford, Hampshire, Dorsets, Rambouillet and Lincolns, also a class for Angora Goats. The Poultry classification covers every known standard variety, and the same is true of the Pigeon Department, the prize money being materially increased over last year's list. The Departments for Vegetables and Melons, Field Seed and Grain and Tobacco contain classes for almost every product grown on the farm. In Horticulture there are hundreds of prizes offered for apples, peaches, pears, grapes, etc. Plants and Flowers, one of the most attractive exhibits at a fair, will be larger and better than ever before. In no department is there a more interesting collection of premiums than in that set aside for woman's work, children's work and table luxuries.

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| Louisville, Ky., Sept 15—Cattle market steady and fairly active. |
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| Good to choice export..... \$ 5.75 a 6.00 |
| Fair to good shipping..... 4.50 a .85 |
| Good to choice butchers..... 4.00 a 4.50 |
| Medium to good butchers..... 3.50 a 4.00 |
| Good to choice stockers..... 3.50 a 4.00 |
| Medium to good stockers..... 3.00 a 3.25 |
| Common to medium stockers..... 2.50 a 3.00 |
| Heifers. |
| Good to choice butchers..... 4.50 a 4.75 |
| Medium to good butchers..... 3.75 a 4.25 |
| Common to medium..... 3.00 a 3.50 |
| Good to choice stockers..... 3.00 a 3.50 |
| Common to medium stockers..... 2.50 a 3.00 |
| Bulls. |
| Good to choice butchers..... 3.75 a 4.00 |
| Medium to good butchers..... 3.25 a 3.50 |
| Fair to good bologna..... 3.00 a 3.35 |
| Common..... 2.50 a 3.00 |
| Cows. |
| Good to choice butchers..... 4.00 a 4.25 |
| Medium to good butchers..... 3.25 a 3.75 |
| Common to medium butchers..... 2.75 a 3.25 |
| Cannons and cutters..... 3.50 a 2.50 |
| Milch Cows. |
| Good to choice milchers..... 40.00 a 45.00 |
| Medium to good milchers..... 30.00 a 37.50 |
| Common to plain milchers..... 15.00 a 25.00 |
| Calves. |
| Good to choice veals..... 5.50 a 6.00 |
| Medium to good..... 4.25 a 5.00 |
| Common..... 3.00 a 4.00 |
| Sheep and Lambs. |
| Good to choice fat sheep..... 4.00 a 4.25 |
| Fair to good mixed sheep..... 3.25 a 3.75 |
| Rough and scalywags..... 2.00 a 2.50 |
| Good to extra bucks..... 3.25 a 3.50 |
| Fair to good bucks..... 2.75 a 3.25 |
| Choice yearlings..... 4.25 a 4.50 |
| Fair to good yearlings..... 4.00 a 4.25 |
| Spring lambs..... 5.00 a 5.25 |
| Hogs. |
| Hog receipts very light; market 15c higher; prime heavies \$6.90; mixed 160 pounds and up. \$6.90 to \$7.00; lights, \$6.40 to \$6.50; pigs, 4. to 5.25 roughs, \$4.00 to \$5.50. Closed steady |
| Chicago Grain. |
| Chicago, Sept 15.—The what market was dull and prices steady. A strong market at Liverpool offset the excellent growing weather in this country. July opened 1-8 and 1-4 higher at 89 1-4 a 89 3-8, sold down to 89 and then advanced 89 1-4c. |
| Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 30 cars. |
| The high price for July was 91 1-4 and the close was strong with July up 1-3 4 at 90 7-8. |
| The corn market was strong chiefly because of light offerings. May opened at 76 to 77c which was a new high mark for the season. July opened up changed to 1-8 higher at 65 3-4 to 65 7-8 and sold at 66 1-8 a 66 1-4. Local receipts were 880 cars. |
| The high price for May corn was 79c, and it closed at 78, 2c above the close of yesterday. Sentiment in the market was bullish all day. The high point for July was 66 7-8. The close was strong with July 1-8 higher at 66 7-8. |
| St. Louis Livestock. |
| St. Louis, Sept 15.—Cattle—Receipts 5,500; including 2,100 Texans. Steady to 5c lower. |
| Beef steers, \$4.75 to 7.15; stockers and feeders, \$3 to 2; cows and heifers, \$3.75 to 6.25; Texas steers, \$3.50 to 5.60; cows and heifers, \$1.75 to 4.75. |
| Hogs—Receipts 10,500; market steady. |
| Pigs and lights, \$3.75 to 5.55; packers, \$4.75 to 5.50; butchers and beef heavy, \$5.45 to 5.55. |
| Sheep—Receipts 6,500; market 5 to 10c lower. |
| Natives, \$3.25 to 5; lambs, \$4.50 to 7.25. |
| Cincinnati Livestock. |
| Cincinnati.—Hogs active, 10c higher. Butchers and shippers, \$5.7 to 5.75; common, \$4.35 to \$5.35. |
| Cattle slow and easy; fair to good shippers, \$5.25 to 6.25; common, \$2.50 to 3.75. |
| Sheep steady, \$2.75 to 5; lambs slow and lower, \$5 to 6.25. |
| Chicago Livestock. |
| Chicago Sept. 15.—Cattle—Receipts about 2,000; marked steady; beesves, \$4.75 to 7.25. Texans, \$4.65 to \$5.60; westerners, \$4.50 to 6; stockers and feeders: \$3.50 to \$5.50; cows and heifers, \$2.50 to \$6.40; calves, \$4.75 to \$6.25. |
| Hogs—Receipts about 10,000, market strong to a shade higher; light \$5.20 to \$5.50; heavy, \$5.15 to 5.30; mixed, \$5.25 to 5.52 1-2; right \$5.15 to 5.30; good to choice heavy, \$5.30 to 5.50; pigs, \$4 to 5.10; bulk of sales, \$5.40 to \$5.25. |
| Sheep—Receipts about 10,000; market weak at yesterday's decline; native, \$5.75 to \$5.50; western, \$5.75 to \$5.50; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.35; lambs, \$4.75 to 7.20; western, \$4.75 to 7.20. |

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Thousands of American women in our homes are daily sacrificing their lives to duty.

In order to keep the home neat and pretty, the children well dressed and tidy, women overdo. A female weakness or displacement is often brought on and they suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have help to overcome the pains and aches which daily make life a burden.

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comes as a boon and a blessing, as it did to Mrs. F. Ellsworth, of Mayville, N. Y., and to Mrs. W. P. Boyd, of Beaver Falls, Pa., who say:

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A pleasing, good high grade, truly flavored, amber colored cup of coffee can be had—and without the real coffee danger, or damage to health by simply using Dr. Shoop's new substitute, called "Health Coffee." Pure, wholesome, toasted cereals, malts, nuts, etc., make Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee both healthful and satisfying. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. "Made in a minute" says Dr. Shoop. If served as coffee, its taste will even trick an expert. Test it and see.

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CULLING THE FLOCK.

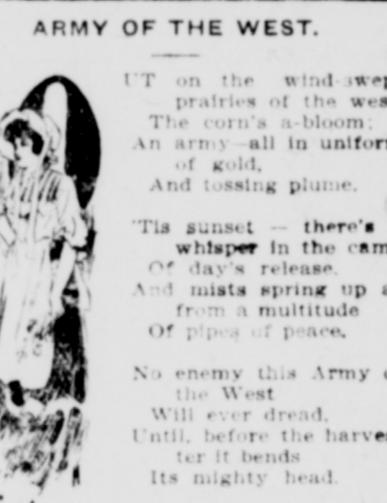
Work Must Be Carefully Done If the Flock Is to Be Improved.

There is no work in the poultry yard of more importance than that of culling. Close culling is the only way to succeed in raising our ideals each year. To have the nerve to reject each year all birds which fail to meet our ideal of the breed, or our nearest approach to it in our own flock, is to raise the average quality of our birds in one year more than the introduction of pure brood males in two. Each season brings but a few extra good birds; our effort must be to know these and to weed out the worst, which we cannot do unless we study the standard, declares Wallace's Farmer. It is safer to discard disqualification birds at once, though they do have a provoking way of being the best lookers of the flock excepting for this little disqualification. The standard makers probably know more about the chances of such birds reproducing these defects than we do. In our own experience one of the best Wyandottes we ever had unfortunately had spike to his comb. We believed the chances of this disqualifying defect appearing in his progeny were about even and used him. His chicks were a constant annoyance, most of them, if not all, had no spike. Otherwise they were beauties, so true to type in shape that we could almost choose them from the flock by their shape alone. We simply didn't dare trust ourselves with the pullets after trying size, knowing that if they developed as they gave promise of doing that we would be tempted to keep them for winter eggs, and to risk one or two in the breeding pens. There is the same temptation to overlook stubs on the feet of smooth-legged varieties, white in our lores, off-colored eyes, etc. Without close study of the standard we may cultivate a most serious defect. One breeder found that he was breeding birds with "roasted" backs until to a visiting poultry judge his entire flock seemed deformed. For the egg farm it does not matter whether or not a bird is disqualification, but if eggs are saved for hatching from the entire flock we cannot cull too closely. Better fewer birds of good quality than a large flock of poor quality. Our profits lie in improving the flock each year, in culling close. Not only can the appearance of the flock be altered to suit the owner's taste by culling and breeding only from birds with the traits he desires to see reproduced, but the invisible traits can also be changed. The tendency to lay well, the size and color of the eggs, the tendency to mature quickly, to fatten rapidly, the quality of meat and general characteristics are all matters of inheritance.

Such agonies as some women suffer, every month, from backache!

Is it necessary? No. It can be prevented and relieved, when caused by female trouble, by taking a medicine with specific, curative action, on the female organs and functions, which acts by relieving the congestion, stopping the pain and building the organs and functions up to a proper state of health. Try.

The KITCHEN CABINET



ARMY OF THE WEST.

UT on the wind-swept prairies of the west, The corn's a-bloom; An army—all in uniform of gold, And tossing plume.

Tis sunset—there's a whisper in the camp of day's release And mists spring up as from a multitude Of pipes of peace.

No enemy of the West Will ever dread Until before the harvester it bends Its mighty head.

No flag of truce above this bright array Was ever unfurled, Except the smoke from thankful firesides Of half the world!

The Fern Dish.

A sensible, handy substitute for the ordinary fern dish can be made, by using any pretty bowl or vegetable dish, and lining it with a basket made of loosely woven wire. Line this with moss, fill it with rich earth and plant ivy or fern. Any trailing plant is better in the center of the table that it may not obstruct the view. The wire basket may be lifted out for watering, sunning, etc., with no danger of breaking or soiling the dish.

For Sandwiches.

This is the season of sandwiches; when we take lunches to the park, or serve tea on the back porch. Meaty sandwiches seem too heavy, yet we like the filling moderately substantial. The following is a happy compromise: Use any left-over meat (boiled or roasted), add an equal quantity of bread crumbs, and season highly with salt, paprika and celery seed. Or, better still, buy one-half pound Hamburger steak, and boil it a few minutes with water to barely cover and one chopped green pepper. Mix this with bread crumbs and spread on thinly buttered bread.

The Value of Salt Pork.

The cheaper cuts of beef are much improved by the addition of a little salt pork. Chopped up with the hamburger steak it affords the necessary grease, and it is also an improvement to roast, laid on the top and used for basting. Fry it in the pot before the pot roast is added; it will brown the gravy, as well as enrich it. Salt pork, sliced very thin, rolled in egg and dipped in bread crumbs, may be fried for breakfast—and the family won't know it from the best brand of bacon.

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Foundation Principles of Christian Life

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D.,
Pastor of the Chicago Ave. (Moody's) Church, Chicago.

"The foundation of repentance from dead works, and of faith toward God, of the doctrine of baptisms, and of laying on of hands, and of resurrection of the dead, and of eternal judgment."

A Foundational Experience is in the words "repentance from dead works." Not repentance from sin. Sin is not a dead work, but rather a work that kills.

It is the assassin which by slow poison or by dagger thrust murders the soul. A dead work is a work upon the

merit of which one depends for salvation apart from Jesus Christ. It is dead because it is separated from the sources of all spiritual life. The man who depends upon his character as the ground of justification before God, while he declares that he has no need of an atoning Saviour, is relying upon a dead work.

The man who depends upon salvation through baptism or any other external ordinance is trusting to a dead work. Dead works are like wax fruits manufactured and hung upon a tree. They look like fruit, but they are not, because they lack the life of the tree.

Faith Toward God.

A Foundational Attitude of soul is in the words "faith toward God."

The opposite of faith toward works. There can be no growth without this soul attitude toward God. As

well seek the development of animal life without the light. It is more than faith toward truth. One may believe that the Bible is the word of God without trusting God for salvation.

One may even believe in the deity of Christ without accepting Christ as the Saviour.

One may believe in salvation by grace without appropriating grace for his own salvation.

Faith toward God in Christ means salvation. Faith toward the Holy Spirit means power. Faith toward God the Father means sonship and worship.

Doctrine of Baptism.

A Foundational Disposition is in the words "the doctrine of baptism."

There may be reference to the ceremonial washings of the Jews or to Christian baptism, perhaps to both. But the underlying meaning is the same in both cases. The Jews practiced these ceremonial washings because they believed that God had commanded them. The Christians baptized because Christ commanded it.

The disposition of the soul in both cases was the same, though the disposition of the Christian marked a higher type of spirituality than the disposition of the Jew. In both cases, however, that disposition could be defined as the spirit of obedience. It was a desire to please the one they worshipped and loved.

Resurrection of the Dead.

A Foundational Faith is in the words "resurrection of the dead."

Both words in the Greek are without the article and might be translated

resurrection of dead things, whether souls, bodies or institutions.

It is fundamental that a Christian believe in resurrection, which means the power of God to give life to the dead.

Of course, he believes in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, and he does not explain it away by silly talk about suspended animation.

His Lord was crucified, dead and buried, and rose

from the dead on the third day according to the Scriptures.

The very body that was laid away in weakness came forth in power.

The very body that was entombed a natural body

came out a spiritual body, not a spiritual

spirit, but a real body, although

no longer subject to natural law, be

ing ever hereafter permeated and

dominated by the Spirit.

Of course, the Christian believes in the resurre

ction of his own body. "All that are

in the graves shall hear the voice of

the Son of God and

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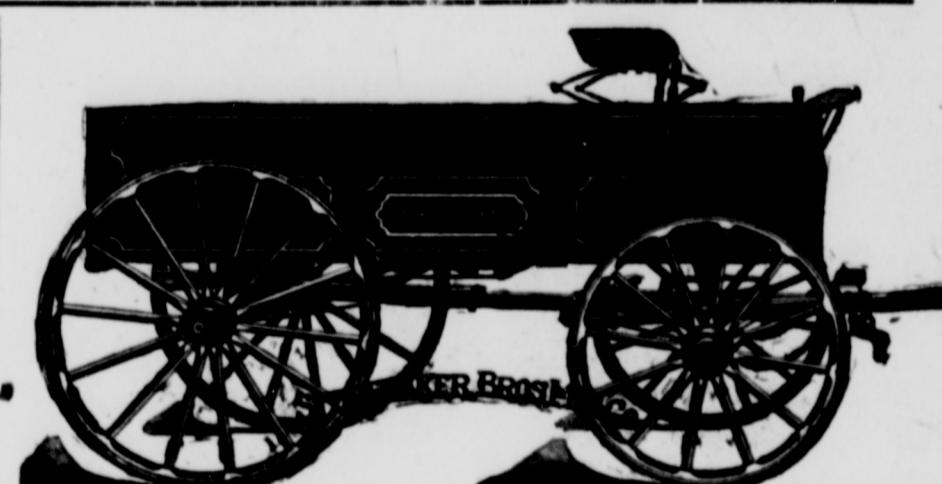
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HEBRON.

Robert Sleamaker, of Tolu, attended church at Hebron Sunday.

Miss Hebie Martin, who has been in Johnson City, Ill., for some time, has returned home.

Hebron and Brown baseball nines crossed bats on the Hebron diamond Saturday afternoon, the score being 44 to 10 in favor of Hebron.

Gladys Franks, of near Marion, visited in this section last week.

Miss Ruth Cook entered school at Marion Monday.

Miss Cleo Gantner, of Henderson, who has been visiting at Chas. Walker's for the past week, has returned home.

Bill Love, of Hurricane vicinity, attended church at Hebron Sunday, more than 500 school buildings of the city in shape for the opening of the coming season. It is expected that the total enrollment for the coming season will be 720,000, or 35,000 in excess of the enrollment last session.

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CHAPEL HILL.

Mr. Wm. Fowler, from Marion, was the guest of his son, James Fowler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Walker, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Price, of Levias, on last Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Hill and children, and Tommy Searcy, of Crayne, were pleasant callers on Miss Ruby Bigham Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ward and children, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bigham Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rushing, from Star neighborhood were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Elders last Saturday and Sunday, August 29th and 30th.

Messrs. Burt Crayce and family and John Gertermon and family, of Crayce, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Canada on last Sunday, August 25th.

Miss Pearl Hill was the guest of Miss Ruby Bigham on last Saturday and Sunday, August 29th and 30th.

Housing tobacco is in order day. Messrs. W. W. Ward and E. H. Bigham, H. O. Hill, J. P. Minner and Will Dorroh are all housing their tobacco this week.

Miss Nellie Adams is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wheeler, of Crayne, this week.

Mr. Bill Sullenger was through this precinct buying fat stock this week.

A nice bunch of hay in this neighborhood to be baled.

For Sale—A 22-inch heating stove. Will give some one a bargain.

W. H. BIGHAM.

IRMA.

Rain is needed very badly in this vicinity.

The sheriff was here last week subpoenaing witnesses in the Henry Slade case.

Curtis Hardin left here last week for Crayne, where he will soon take up his school.

Edward Large, of Wheatcroft, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Helen Hardisty left here last week for Wheatcroft to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Robison.

Mrs. Lee Funkhouse, who has been very ill for some time, is slowly improving.

Mr. Owen Speese and Odie Ramage, of Carsville, were in our midst

Sunday.

Miss Cora Highfill visited relatives at Tolu last week.

Mr. J. B. Moore, of Morley, Mo., is visiting his mother this week.

Several from here attended the protracted meeting at Dilney last week.

Mr. J. A. Sullinger has sold his store to E. W. Clark.

Miss Emma Clark will teach the Sullinger school this term. We wish her much success with her school.

Miss Susie Scott was the guest of friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. Fred Brown and family and Mrs. Lena White went to Carrsville Sunday.

T. P. Woolsey, of Fords Ferry, was here last Tuesday.

Miss Cleo Clemens was here shopping Saturday.

Mr. John D. Barnes and Tobe James, of Fords Ferry, were in our vicinity Sunday evening.

Mr. Jess Highfill and Miss Bula McMaster eloped and went over to E. town last Tuesday night, where they were united in the solemn vows of matrimony. We wish them both happy life.

Mr. Ed. Mott and family visited the family of Mr. Hugh McMaster last week.

Mr. John Ed. Bracy was in Irma one day last week.

Clarence and Formie Berenean, of Lola, were here Saturday.

Mr. Dellar Monroe and wife, of Paducah, visited in our midst last week.

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FREDONIA.

Sam Howerton and family returned last week from their summer vacation.

Mrs. G. D. Tutt visited relatives in Madisonville last week.

J. M. McClurkey and wife, of Marion, spent Sunday with W. E. Cox and family.

Frank Millican, of Paducah, was here Monday en route home from a visit to his father in Crittenden county.

Robert Jackson and family, of Dycusburg, spent last week with his father, J. R. Jackson.

Maxwell Bros. are putting a big stock of furniture in the vacant room in the Rice Block.

Clyde Boaz, of Dycusburg, was visiting relatives here last week.

Wanted—New sorghum. Bennett & Son.

Miss Georgia Boaz is visiting relatives in Louisville.

The school here will probably commence next Monday.

Our farmers will get about through cutting tobacco this week.

Flour 55 cents per sack. Bennett & Son.

DYNSBURG.

We chronicle the death of another aged and respected citizen in the person of Uncle Sol Boaz, whose remains were interred at Caldwell Springs cemetery on the 7th inst.

Rev. W. E. Charles has been quite sick at his brother's home in Brazil, Tenn., but is now convalescing.

On last Monday (Aug. 31st) Mrs. F. B. Dyne entertained a few friends and relatives in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mrs. Deed Brown visited Mrs. Salie Baze, who continues quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. James of Eddyville, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dalton and Mrs. Mattie Wadlington went fishing one day recently.

Mrs. Maggie Hoon and daughter, Miss Ima, were in town one day last week.

Miss Ross, of Grand Rivers, is the guest of Miss Billie Decker.

Mrs. Thos. Brasies, accompanied by her aged aunt, Mrs. Tempory Brasies, visited relatives in Livingston county several days during the past week.

Mr. Frank Dashey, of Princeton, was here on legal business one day last week.

Mrs. Mayes, of Calwell Springs

vicinity, was the guest of Mrs. Robert Clifton one day during the past week.

Mrs. J. R. Glass and Miss Gustye Clifton, visited their aunt, Mrs. James Brasies, Sunday.

Prof. Glass is visiting relatives at Pond and Dawson Springs.

Miss Nell Clifton and Guy Conness were visible in our town Sunday.

J. C. Bennett and family visited in the country Sunday.

last week, where he enters school again with our best wishes.

Miss Rhea, the bright and attractive daughter of P. K. Cooksey, re-entered school at St. Vincent.

Clarence Daughtery returned to Missouri last week, accompanied by Freeman Ramage. Quite a number

of young men have left their "old Kentucky home" for Missouri. We sincerely hope they will all be good boys.

James C. Gienn, of Kuttawa, was in our burg Wednesday.

Henry Rice, of Fredonia, was here one day last week.

Mrs. Payne, of Kuttawa, is the guest of Mrs. S. H. Caisady.

Prof. J. R. Glass is slowly improving from an attack of malarial fever.

Mrs. Lena Nelson, of Grand Rivers, is spending the week with relatives at this place.

Mrs. Will Wadlington, of Kuttawa, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Nola Paris will enter the Dycusburg school Monday.

Our Presiding Elder, Bro. Lewis, preached at the M. E. church Wednesday night.

Mrs. Myrtle Jackson and little daughter, Jennie, recently spent several days with friends and relatives near Kelsey.

Fred Ramage was in Princeton last week on business.

Ira Bennett, wife and little son, of Fredonia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Robertson one day last week.

Mrs. Lou Miles, of Fredonia, visited relatives in town recently.

Mrs. Sidney Sexton, of Iuka, was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Graves last week.

Mrs. Sallie Robinson visited in the country Sunday.

Supt. Paris visited our school Thursday.

Miss Maude Richards will teach school near New Salem church at the Childress school house this fall.

GOAL! GOAL! GOAL!!

We have the celebrated Tradewater coal for sale, which is among the very best grades of coal to be found in this section; It is second to none.

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SPORTING COLUMNS.

The Marion baseball team reached home Friday morning from Madisonville, crippled physically and financially, but with plenty of honors otherwise. The brass band and a great crowd of loyal rooters met them at the depot and received them with open arms. And why not? Because had not the team again met the opposing tribe on its own battle-ground and twice vanquished 'em? And more than ordinary ball players the first time they had trotted out, drawn his trouble until he had to drown his trouble in meditation among the sun-blessed hills and valleys of center field. For "Sis" Hopkins, the great south-paw of the St. Louis Browns, was batted out of the box and took up out-field work as a side line against sluggers. And in the second, the soon-to-be big leaguer was batted so hard that if he could have gotten it he would have drowned his troubles too. Think of only four runs being made off Guy Stevens, and four of them earned. Guy has a great stint of laying the cause of runs being made off him to his support, but he was hit hard, clean and consecutively in this game and can't blame any one but Stone for calling the wrong kind of ball.

Madisonville wanted to see Gossage, the most speedy pitcher in all Western Kentucky, but as he had commenced teaching school on the 31st, he could not be there. To take his place in the first game Marion secured Charlie Burden, the great Powderly pitcher, and they were not disappointed in their choice. For the second game old reliable Tim Keeler and his spit ball officiated. Enough said there—then wow.

Marion had a few rooters in the stands, but Abe Flynn, an old Marion boy, was not one of them. A great delegation from Earlington pulled hard and long for Burden and were rewarded.

In the first game Burden was pitted against Hopkins and had all the best of it. He was invincible in tight places and by his great pitching and head work stood the opposing batters on their heads. He struck out 14 men and allowed six hits, according to Madisonville's official scorer. Marion did not hit so well as against Princeton the day before, but hit with better results as hits came when they counted. Result, 4 scores.

Score of first game:
Marion 0 0 2 9 0 2 0 0 0 4
Journals 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 3

Hits—Marion, 6; Journals, 4.
Errors—Marion, 2; Journals, 3.
Batteries—C. Burden and Davis.

Two base hits—C. Burden, Stone.

Struck out—By Burden, 14; by Hopkins, 5.

Stolen bases—C. Burden (2), Rochester,